FRIDAY ..... February 1, 1866.

ID Advertisements should be handed in by 12 o'clock, m., otherwise they may not appear

until the next day.

IF AGENTS POR THE STAR .- The following named persons are authorized to contract for the publication of advertisements in THE STAR:

Philadelphia-V. B. PALMER, northwest corner of Fifth and Chestaut streets. New York-S. M. Pattemeill & Co., Nassau

Boston-V. B. PALMER, Scollay's Building.

ID Jos PRINTING .- Our friends and patrons are notified that we are now prepared to execute every hind of Jos PRINTING with despatch and in the best manner, at prices as low as in any other office in Washington. Job Printers are also notified that we are prepared to do every description of press-work that can be executed on double cylinder and Adams' power-presses. So, also, has the Star office a Book Bindery connected with it, equal in its capacity to turn out book binding of all descripttions to any other in the District of Columbia.

#### SPIRIT OF THE MORNING PRESS

The Intelligencer contains an interesting editorial synopsis of the speech delivered yesterday by Mr. Seward in the Senate on the Central American question, wherein that gentleman greatly distinguished himself as a northern anti-Democratic statesman, by taking and maintaining with great force a position on the exciting questions between Great Britain and the United States, such as, if we remember correctly, no northern anti-Democratic party public man ever held upon such an issue with our hereditary rival.

The Union defends the Kansas message of the President.

#### WASHINGTON NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Refreshing .- The earnestness and pertinacity with which our talented, engenuous and truthful neighbor sticks to its system of falsification, even when its conductors must be well aware that all the world know that it is lying, is refreshing beyond description We owe our readers an apology for using that expression. But in so flagrant a case there is no way of getting around it. With the "Biennial Register," the Blue-Book, open before it, it continues to insist that the amount paid to the Star newspaper for advertising for the Government is \$25,000 annually. It quotes from that work payments made to us for job printing, binding, adver- above, and they are inclined to do their best tisments, &c., &c , in the course of two years, | to aid their party to win upon it. Hence the and gravely insists that the sum total shows the amount of government payments to us for services rendered in one year. Thus, it states its case about 100 per centum above the truth. Did we not know that its custom is always to tell falsehoods when they suit its purposes better than the truth, and to stick to them to the bitter end, we might possibly have con. cluded that its conductors are too ignorant to have known the fact that the blue-book is a biennial, rather than an annual register, and that its figures refer to two years expenditures, rather than one.

We are, however, aware, that last summer its chief conductor was a sort of walking reference concerning the cash value of every office or engagement to serve the Government that the Know Nothing office seekers who surrounded him in such crowds, desired. To answer the questions of those people, he must have thumbed and thumbed and thumbed again every page of the last previous edition of that work. So, he cannot fail to know precisely what the figures he quotes mean. Know. ing what they mean, in attempting to palm them on the public as a statement of the payments made to the Star in a single year, our talented, truthful and ingenuous neighbor has stated a palpable and self-evident falsehood That journal is utterly destitute of character, not for lack of controversial talent, but through the mendacity which marks the policy with which it is conducted, as evidenced in this, its very last dirty transaction. It has not only thus cut itself off from popular conadence, but from that of those who, on its first establishment, were its patrons and friends; nearly every one of whom will, at this time, regard as an insult the imputation that they sympathize with it directly or indirectly, or are in any manner identified with its statements concerning others, or its intrigues for its

A violent, abusive and pretended Southern Rights paper for the first six months of its existence, finding that it can make no money on that tack, it has come to be an ultra antislavery sheet, justifying all the political abolitionism of the day, while professing not to take sides on the slavery question. While it has thus lost all the sympathy of the southern men who so lack brains as at one time not to have comprehended the real value of its southern rights protestations, it has not gained the confidence of a single person whose sentiments are opposed to its old professions. All, indeed, now know it for a mere trimmer, a Pandour, a jackall, seeking by expedients which honorable men repudiate, to fill its hungry maw. Having exposed the patent falsehood with which it went out of its way to assail us last, we have just now little more space to devote to it.

part of its effort to crawl out of the unenvia ble situation in which its invariable trick of lying has involved it in this particular case, hat we print more copies of the Star daily, than are printed in all three of the other daily newspaper offices in Washington, together-the Intelligencer, the Union, and the Organ. This is the reason why, when our fellow-citizens really desire to communicate with the public, they prefer to pay us for space in our advertising columns twice the sum, it may be, for which the Organ offers in vain to lease to them its columns. Our daily circulation outside of Washington is larger than the whole daily circulation of any other paper printed in this city-to say nothing of our circulation in Washington, which is larger in proportion to population, we sincerely believe, than that of any other paper in any other city in the world. We beg our gentle, talented, ingenuous and truthful neighber to put these few facts in its pipe and smoke 'em. It will thus increase its stock of knowledge. No suggestion that can possibly be made will increase its stock of moral honesty, so long as it habitually prefers falsehood to truth. So we shall not waste words in advising it to that end.

the Sentinel, in his issue of yesterday, explains at great length his position with refer-

was subsequently disposed of by the election of the senior editor of the Union. With the Sentinel's misunderstanding with the Union, we propose to have nothing whatever to do. Yet we may not inappropriately say, that its publisher is mistaken in the reason why he was elected to be the Printer of the Senate for the last Congress. He says:

"I was elected simply and purely because I was the founder, proprietor, and editor of a public journal which had for its object, and from the pursuit of which it has never varied or departed, the single purpose of advocating the principles of the genuine State Rights

Democratic party." According to the received understanding at the time of his election, if we are not greatly mistaken, he was elected only to defeat the Union, which could not be done in any other way. Two or three Democratic Senators were understood to be dissatisfied with the course of the Union towards themselves, and two or three became dissatisfied with its course on some public questions; while two or three of them were believed to have voted for the Sentinel's publisher because dissatisfied with the course of the administration towards themselves and their immediate friends. The majority of those who voted for the Sentinel's publisher two years ago, did so under the belief that they were thus aiding to sustain at this point a journal that would injure the Democratic party by making ceaseless war on the national Administration, whose uncompromising opponent from first to last the Sentinel certainly has been. Surely Messrs. Seward, Wade, et al of the opposition party. did not vote for Mr. Tucker, because he had established at this point a journal devoted to the single purpose of advocating the principles of the genuine State Rights Democratic party!"

On reflection, we presume our friend of the Sentinel will see the force and correctness of our explanation of the mystery of his original election Throughout the life of his administration, President Pierce has certainly faithfully sustained, (as to its principles and measures,) the policy of the party placing him in power, whatever difference of opinion there may be with reference to the wisdom of some of his appointments. Another Presidential election is at hand, and it is very evident that the Democratic party are going into that contest boldly, and as far as possible exclusively are the measures and principles of the administration of President Pierce. Whatever their personal predilections may be, all the Democratic party members of the Senate heartily endorse the propriety of making the next Presidential contest on the policy we mention fact that its former friends in the Democratic party abandoned the Sentinel yesterday, to aid directly or indirectly in the election of Mr. Nicholson-the newspaper exponent of the Administration-to be the Senate's Printer for the Thirty-fourth Congress.

Fashionable Entertainments - We regret that we cannot comply with requests received of late from many subscribers at a distance, and chronicle in detail the entertainments given by the eminent and the fashionable of this metropolis. Our "folio of four pages," already crowded to overflowing with the political and local news of the day, would not contain even brief mention of the many brilliant reunions which have enlivened the present season The official dinners at the White House-the receptions of Secretaries Davis Guthrie, McClelland, and Campbell-the brilliant ball and matines of Mistresses Senator Slidell, Fish, and Thompson-the delightful parties of Mrs. Dr. Pyne, Mrs. Major Lyndsay, Mrs. W. C. Johnson-the hotel "hops," for it is leap year, and the ladies love to hor before they leap-the dinners of Mr. Crampton, and other diplomats-all these and scores of other equally pleasant entertainments have occupied the attention of the beau monde, notwithstanding the doleful Jeremiads of let

ter-writers that "Washington is dull." The prominent ball of the season was given last night, at the hospitable mansion of Mrs. George Parker, on the corner of Four-and-ahalf and C streets. At least a thousand guests. comprising "the good, the great, the gifted and the gay," thronged the elegantly furnished saloons, while Esputa's fine band performed new dancing music, obtained expressly from New York. Later in the evening, the guests were welcomed at the supper-table below, which was covered with luxuries and delicacies, served in Gautier's best style, and adding to the eclat with which every thing passed off. It was, indeed, a magnificent affair, which will be long remembered by the many who enjoyed the courteous attentions of the host and hostess-

"Of all that did chance, twere a long tale to tell, Of the dancers and dresses, and who was the But each was so happy, and all were so fair, That night stole away, and the morn caught them

The gaities of the evening were not confined to the Fourth Ward. Dinner parties were given by the President and by the Secretary of War, while there was a fashionable ball at the new and elegant residence of Mrs. Dr. Wood, on I street. This evening there is to be a large party given by Mrs. Clem. Hill. and next week the gay throng are invited by Mrs Gen. Webb and Mrs. Geo. Pennington, besides the balls at Willard's and at Brown's-On with the dance! let joy be unconfined! We may, however, add, in reply to the last No sleep 'till morn, when youth and pleasure meet,

> Army Officers Resigned .- The resignations of the following officers have been accepted by the President, to take effect at the dates set opposite their respective names :

First Lieut. Richard S. Smith, fourth artillery-January 13, 1856.

First Lieut. Horace Haldeman, eighth infantry-February 1, 1856. First Lieut. Robert B. Thomas, second artillery-January 31, 1856.

Second Lieut. Malcolm H. Nicholls, tenth infantry-January 31, 1856.

Limited Partnerships .- It is to be hoped that Congress, ere the close of the present session, will accord to the District of Columbia a law authorizing "limited partnerships." We know nothing else, in the way of business legislation, so much needed among us just now. As the law stands, if a person of wealth is disposed to aid a young man in business by advancing him money and without participating in person in the management of his affairs, (per agreement, to pay himself with a share of the profits of the concern,) he cannot do so except at the risk of the whole of his

Elsewhere in this country, as well as in Eu-The Truth of History.-Our neighbor of rope, the capitalist may by law thus aid his young friend to any amount he pleases, without making a lien on his property for more ence to the Senate's printing question, which, than the amount specified in their published as announced in the last issue of the Star, articles of agreement or copartnership. The company.

enactment of a similar law for this District would at once throw an aggregate amount of perhaps millions into trade here; and thus, by increasing business competition, would materially benefit all classes of society.

Monetary and Commercial.—The following quotations of bonds, stocks and land warrants were furnished us to-day, (February 1) by Chubb Brothers:

BONDS AND CITY STOCKS. Washington Corporation 6 per cent.	Par.	103 @ 103%
Georgetown do 6 do	100	
Alexandria do 6 de	100	97 @ 98 85 @ 87
COUPONS.	100	85 @ 87
St. Louis City Bonds 6 per cent. ex int.	1,000	80 @ 81
Cincinnati do 6 do do	1,000	80 @ 81 95 @ 96
Louisville do 6 do do	1,000	82 @ 83
Louisville do 6 short b'ds do	1,000	94 @ 95
Fredericksburg 6 do do	1,000	
Memphis do 6 do do	1,000	
New Orleans do 6 do do	1,000	78 @ 80
Pittsburg do 6 do de	1,000	80 @ 81
Burlington do 8 do do	1,000	90 @ 92
San Francisco do 10 pay N. Y. do	1,000	105 @ 106
San Francisco do 10 pay S. F. do	1,000	98 @ 95
Sacramento de 16 pay N. Y. de	1,000	75 @ 85
UNITED STATES STOCKS.	-,	
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Loan of 1856 6 per cent. Loan of 1862 6 do	70	- @ 103
Loan of 1867 6 do	1	- @ 110% - @ 116%
Loan of 1848 6 do	-	
Loan of 1868 (Coupons) 6 do	-	- @ 116%
Loan of 1865 (Texas ind.) 6 do	-	- @ 116%
	1	- @ 106%
RAILROAD BONDS.	4 4 4	School 25
Baltimore & Ohio 6 p. ct. 1885	-	81 @ 82
Baltimore & Ohio 6 do 1875	-	88 @ 90
Reading 6 do 1860	-	92 @ 93
Reading 6 do 1870	-	85 @ 86
Orange & Alex. 6 do	-	79 @ 80
Illinois Central 7 do	-	81 @ 82
Illinois Central (Freeland) 7 do	-	87 @ 88
BANK STOCK.		10 200
Bank of Metropolis	_	106 @ 107
Bank of Washington		80 @ 81
Patriotic Bank		60 (4 65
Farmers & Mech.'s' Bank, Georgetown		70 6 71
Bank of the Old Dominion, Alexandria	Ξ	102 @ 104
		103 @ 103
INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Firemen's (none in market)	-	
Franklin (none in the market)		
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STATE STOCKS.		
Virginia 6 per cent.	-	93 @ 94
Maryland 6 de	-	106 @ 107
Missouri 6 do	-	84 @ 85
Kentucky 6 do	-	101 @ 102
Louisiana 6 do	-	88 @ 89
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California 7 do		84 @ 85

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The demand for warrants still exceeds the supply, and prices are about 1 cent per acre higher than when last quoted. We have no means of ascertaining the amount of land warrants issued under the late act that have been located, but presume that they do not amount to two-thirds of the issue. The warrantees, who are mostly residents of the coun try, seem indisposed to part with their warrants at less than \$1 per acre, and which price agents can hardly afford to pay, and send to the cities for sale. This will account somewhat for the scarcity of warrants, and may be the prominent cause. In the middle of November warrants experienced a sudden and unexpected rise; the consequence was, warrantees sold, and this city and New York were flooded. Prices fell as low as 85 cents, but soon rallied under the large orders induced by the low rates. Should warrants advance two or three cents higher, no doubt large amounts would be forwarded for sale, and if the amount exceeds the orders, they will decline heavily. Dealers have no confidence in the present prices being maintained, and, therefore, will not long expect to fill orders. They can by

present rates. First class city investments are in good demand. Money is easy, compared to what it has been for some months past. Exchange is so low that it prevents the shipment of specie to Europe, yet it does not accumulate in the cities, owing to its transportation to the coun-

no possibility advance much higher; and we

think it would be well for holders to secure the

try to pay for produce. The disorganized condition of Congress undoubtedly effects the value of State securities. and it is supposed that much of the money paid for dividends on the 1st instant, on account, has not been reinstated, owing to the unsettled condition of our foreign relations, and the disorganized condition of the House of Representatives.

The Current Operations of the Treasury Department .- On yesterday, 31st of January there were of Treasury Warrants entered on the books of the Department-

For the redemption of Stocks.... For the Treasury Department ... 22,420 61 For the Interior Department.... 205,010 53 War Warrants received and en-

tered.... 30,412 82 War repay warrants received and entered..... From miscellaneous sources.....

From Customs..... 5,115 62 From Lands.....

# CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

In the Senate, yesterday, after we went to press, the Central American question with Great Britain, was again taken up, when Mr. Seward addressed the body at length against the position on it, and the acts with reference to it, of Britain.

In the House, the debate on the pending resolution of Mr. Cox, was further continued by Messrs Bocock, Taylor of La , H. Marshall and Lindley; and then it was rejected-yeas

Mr. Hickman offered another plurality rule resolution, to take effect after three more attempts to elect by a majority vote have failed. Mr. Wheeler moved to lay it on the table; eas 107, nays 108.

After an ineffectual motion to adjourn-Mr. Trippe moved as a substitute for Mr Hickman's resolution one declaring Mr Smith, of Va, to be the Speaker; not adoptedyeas 100, nays 110.

(Previous to this vote, Mr. Barksdale moved to lay the whole subject on the table; not agreed to-yeas 84, nays 132.) And then they adjourned.

Proceedings of To-Day. The Senate was not in session to-day.

In the House, the question being on agreeing to the pending plurality rule resolution of Mr. Hickman, offered yesterday— Mr. McQueen moved to lay it on the table;

not agreed to-yeas 107, nays 108. Mr. Savage, as a means of settling the difficulty, sent to the Clerk's table to be read, a proposition to make the election on the plan on which the House elects a President when the people fail to elect.

The question was then put directly on the plurality resolution of Mr. Hickman; which was not adopted-yeas 108, nays 110. Mr. Jones, of Tenn., then moved a resolution for the election of Mr. Mordicai Oliver, of

Missouri, to be the Speaker of the Thirtyfourth Congress. Mr. Matteson moved to lay it on the tableyeas 116, nays 101.

A sensible writer in the Boston Courier ays: "I expect to be obliged to tolerate my neighbors not only in entertaining different opinions from mine, but also in thinking I TRINK OF THIS -Antisthenes was asked,

## GEORGETOWN CORRESPONDENCE.

GEORGETOWN, Feb. 1, 1855.

From the following article, which we find in the Baltimore Sun of yesterday, copied from the Frederick Examiner, we incline to the belief that the Examiner has been led into error in regard to the memorial of the President and Directors of the Metropolitan rail

"The proposed amendment, it is understood, contemplates such an alteration of the route as will allow the Metropolitan railroad to intersect the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at a more westerly point than at present limited; in other words, to carry out the original purpose of tapping the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at or near the Point of Rocks, and stopping there."

read, now before the Legislature of Mary

If we have not been misinformed in relation to this memorial (and the source from which we have derived our information satisfies us that we have not been) the only alterations to the charter sought to be obtained by the memorialists is the removal of that portion which declares that no dividends shall be declared out of the earnings of the lower portion of the road until the whole shall have been completed to its northern terminus, and the privilege of intersecting the Baltimore and Ohio road, the charter as it is now framed simply confering the right to cross it within a certain locality, and not the right of forming any connection with it. We do not believe that any intention of changing the course of the road from the route which has already been located has been formed by the officers of the

Both of the beforementioned features in the charter of the Metropolitan road have been regarded by many as objectionable, and dis-advantageous to the people of Montgomery county and the District of Columbia; and ingsmuch as the memorialists obligate themselves that no portion of the money which may be subscribed by Frederick or Washington counties shall be expended in the con-struction of any portion of the road, except that lying in the county where the money may be subscribed, we think in all fairness that their opposition to the desired alterations to the charter should cease at once, and their efforts be directed, in connection with the memorialists, towards the securing of them.

We can hardly force ourself into the belief that the hitherto liberal-minded citizens of the before-mentioned counties would be so unreasonable as to ask the people of Montgomery and the District to shoulder the whole burden of constructing this road, when nearly the whole of the benefits arising from that portion lying north of the line of the Baltimore and Ohio Road, must necessarily accrue immediately to their own advantage. We hope that the Legislature of Maryland will take this, in our humble judgment, the only proper view of the matter, and grant at once the prayer of the petitioners, that this most important of all railroad connections may at once be pushed forward to completion without any farther delay. Its construction is certainly of vital importance, not only to the people of this District, but the whole of the

west and southwest section of our country. We would advise all of our friends in Georgetown to avail themselves of the rich treat the shape of a diorama exhibiting at Forrest Hall, it being by far the best thing of the kind we ever saw. The Hall was crowded last night, and we would advise all who go to secure their seats early. There is an afternoon exhibition on to-morrow for schools. SPECTATOR.

## ALEXANDRIA CORRESPONDENCE.

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 1, 1856. The weather still continues cold, and for many years our sleighing community have not had such a carnival. Every vehicle that can be used has runners attached The river, too. gives the appearance of many days of fine

Yesterday morning the Orange train was delayed several hours in consequence of the pumps of the engine freezing. Such a thing has never occurred on the road before, even during the very cold weather of the past two The American organization of this place, at

their last meeting appointed a committee to collect together the various platforms of the party, together with the different resolutions passed by the section of that party in this county. It is presumed that from this hotchpotch such planks as can be agreed upon will be taken, and, together with the Philadelphia, Lynchburg, and Richmond platforms, we shall have the "Alexandria platform"

In the field for the spring election we have, including the present incumbents, the following: For Sheriff-E. Sangster, Dem.; H. L. Monroe, K. N.; for Superintendent of Police-Capt. Joseph C. Moore, W. L. Penn, K. N. George Davis, K. N ; for Superintendent of Gas-A. W. Eastlack, K. N., Jacob Roxbury, K. N., and W. J. Higdon, K. N.; for City Surveyor-W. D. Stuart, K. N. W. T. Powell K. N. Each day the number increases, and so, in all probability, February will be unusually spicy.

A new Know Nothing organization-the F K.'s (fool killers)-have issued a counter manifesto to the edict of the Regulating Club, published some days since.

THE SOUTHERN COMMERCIAL CONVENTION was permanently organized at Richmond, yes terday, by the election of Gen. Tench Tilgh man, of Maryland, president, and vice presidents from Texas, Maryland, Mississippi Louisiana, Virginia, North Carolina, and the District of Columbia. Mr. Abert, of this city. offered a resolution declaring that, notwithstanding the baneful opinions of our fellowcitizens of the North, we feel a devoted attachment to the Union, and a determination to preserve it. All the resolutions were referred to the committee on business. There are 220 delegates present.

# PERSONAL

.... Harry Gray, who is now engaged a watchman at the Kentucky Locomotive Works, has recently had left him, conditionally, by a deceased uncle in England, \$200,000. The condition is, that he shall not be indebted to the amount of \$500 when he is 30 years old.

.... F. Dainese, Esq., our former Consul at Constantinople, and for several years past a resident of Alexandria, has recently been presented by Reshid Pacha, the Sultan's Vizier, with a beautiful diamond ring, set in the Oriental style, as a testimonial of the Sultan's estimation of his character and services and of his attachment to Turkey The diamond is very large and of great brilliancy.

.... Mr Geo. Turner, of Lyme, N. H., has sold a pair of six years old oxen for \$235, which weighed on the hoof 4,300 pounds. These oxen during the last winter hauled two hundred cords of wood to the Passumpsic Railroad, at Ryegate, and have since that time done all the work usually done by oxen on a large farm.

.... Sarah Ann Abigail Brown, who was tried, convicted, and sentenced to be hung, at the fall term of the N. H. supreme judical court, for the murder of Stephen C. Washer, died last week in the Concord jail. Subsequent to her trial she gave birth to a child, since which time she has gradually declined in health, until she expired of consumption. ... Sir Edmund Head makes a popular

Governor of Canada. He is a literary man rather than a politician, and seems fully disposed to adhere to the constitutional maxim of the entire responsibility of Ministers. Had his cousin, Sir Francis Bond Head, inherited his political sagacity, Canada might have been spared many dark days and bitter re-

....Parson ----, of the Methodist church was travelling in the back sattlement of Missouri, and-stopped at a cabin, where an old lady received him very kindly. After setting provisions before him, she began to question him: 'Stranger, where mought you be from?' 'Madam, I reside in Shelby county, Kentucky. 'Wall, stranger, hope no offence, but what mought you be a doin' way up here?' 'Madam, I am searching for the lost sheep of the tribe of Israel.' 'John, John!' shouted the old lady, 'come rite here this minute; here's a stranger all the way from Shelby "what he get by his learning?" His reply was, that he could talk to himself without being beholden to others for the delight of good ram, that's bin in our lot all last week's one

## TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Showing the amount at his credit in the Treasury, with assistant treasurers and designated to positaries, and in the Mint and branches, by returns received to Monday, January 28, 18 56; the amount for which drafts have been issued, but were then unpaid, and the amount then ren taining subject to draft. Showing, also, the amount of future transfers to and from deposito ries, as ordered by the Secretary of the Treasury.

In what place.	Amount on De- posite.	Drafts hereto- fore drawn, but not yet paid, though payable.	Am ount subject
The Market States Washington D C.	\$956,736 17	38,406 06	2649,240 11
Treasury of the United States, Washington, D. C	The second secon	34,791 11	2,813,867 68
Assistant Treasurer, Boston, Massachusetts		263,860 87	1,553,908 80
Assistant Treasurer, New York, New York		33,495 42	160,316 05
Assistant Treasurer, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	170,429 68	61,296 20	109,133 48
Assistant Treasurer, Charleston, South Carolina Assistant Treasurer, New Orleans, La		269,752 53	235,400 03
Assistant Treasurer, St. Louis, Missouri	2,210,796 39	147,725 92	2,063,070 47
Assistant Treasurer, San Francisco	807,584 07	531,559 97	275,974 10
Depositary at Buffalo, New York	1,748 49	444 29	1,304 20
Depositary at Baltimore, Maryland	468,836 37	19,966 43	149,569 91
Depositary at Richmond, Virginia	14 623 23	2,518 44	12,104 79
Depositary at Norfolk, Virginia\$74,523 63	49,844 27	124,367 90	
Depositary at Wilmington, North Carolina	4,760 03	4,142 72	617 31
Depositary at Savannah, Georgia	119,698 68	12,688 52	107,010 16
Depositary at Mobile, Alabama		5,355 01	104,062 56
Depositary at Nashville, Tennessee	36,440 25	471 80	35,968 45
Depositary at Cincinnati, Ohio	8,630 40	7,717 32	913 08
Depositary at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania	10,706 59	164 82	10,541 77
Depositary at Cincinnati, (late)	20 39		20 39
Depositary at Dubuque, Iowa253,999 40	2,759 17	256,758 57	
Depositary at Little Rock, Arkansas	40,421 90	12,030 64	28,391 26
Depositary at Detroit, (late)	500 00		500 00
Depositary at Chicago, Illinois	661,820 09	4,981 50	656 838 59
Depositary at Detroit, Michigan	216,122 89	3,975 35	212,147 54
Depositary at Tallahassee, Florida	51,838 33	692 68	51,145 65
Assay office, New York	8,744,540 00		8,744,500 00
Branch mint, San Francisco	1,200,000 00		1,200,000 00
Mint of the United States, Philadelphia, Penn	3,308,354 16		3,308,354 16
Branch mint of the United States, Charlotte, N. C	32,000 00		32,000 00
Branch mint of the United States, Dahlonega, Ga	27,950 03	******	27,959 03
Branch mint of United States, New Orleans, La	2,021,949 53		2,021,949 53
928,523 03	26,076,831 17	1,806 554 07	24,598,800 13

338,523 03 24,270,277 10 188,751 47 Deduct difference in transfers.....

Transfers ordered to treasury of the United States, Washington, D. C...... Transfers ordered to assistant treasurer of the United States, New York..... Transfers ordered to assistant treasurer of the United States, New Orleans, La..... Transfers ordered to depositary at Baltimore, Maryland..... Transfers ordered to depositary at Norfolk, Virginia......
Transfers ordered to depositary at Chicago, Illinois.....

\$2,265,000 00 994,001 47 892,500 00 Transfers ordered from assistant treasurer, Boston, Massachusetts..... Transfers ordered from assistant treasurer, New York, New York..... 147,500 00 Transfers ordered from depositary at Dubuque, Iowa..... 25,000 00 20,000 00

by the author at

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NOTICE.—THE BOARD OF DI-rectors of the Washington Building As-sociation will meet THIS EVENING in the Room of the Franklin Fire Company, corner Pa. avenue and 14th street, at 7 o'clock. J. P. DICKINSON,

WASHINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY .-The regular monthly meeting of the Company will be held at the armory MONDAY EVENING, February 4th, at 7% o'clock.

The members will meet for drill on Saturday evening, at 7% o'cleck. B. F. BEERS, Sec. FOR THE POOR OF THE SECOND WARD .- Persons who are not called on by the Committee, and who desire to contribute

to the relief of the poor of the Second Ward can

send their donations to Nicholas Callan, Treas-

urer, F, between 13th and 14th streets.

THE "WASHINGTON ASSOCIAannounce to the public that they will give their First Ball on the 23d of February. Particulars in future advertisement

SMITHSONIAN LECTURES -Prof. CHACE will continue his course of Lectures on "Chemistry applied to the Arts" on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS.

Lectures commence at 8 o'clook. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

BOAT FOR SALE. - A KEEL BOAT, 17 fect long, with oars, rudder, &c., complete, suitable for a pleasure or fishing boat. It can be seen at E. Reynolds', west of the Aqueduct, in Georgetown For terms apply immediately to W. E. COLSTON, at Mrs. Spalding's corner 9th and F streets.

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A few chances left-\$1 a chance.

REMOVAL. OHN M. CLARKE & CO., HAVE THIS day removed their office to the corner of Seventh street and Louisiana avenue, opposite Dex-

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VENISON HAMS —A small lot of Virginia Venison, HAMS, just received and for sale by JAS. H. SHEKELL, No. 279 F street, corner of 13th st.

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